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SUBJECT: UNEP TOP-LEVEL STAFFING

1. AT LUNCH SEPTEMBER 15 WITH PERMREP, DAVID MUNRO, CANDIAN SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO EXDIR OF UNEP AND NUMBER THREE IN UNEP HIERARCHY, CONFIRMED THAT HE INTENDED TO LEAVE UNEP AT END OF THIS YEAR. HE MADE IT CLEAR THAT REASONS FOR LEAVING RELATED SOLELY TO HIS PRIVATE PLANS AND COMMITMENTS AND THAT HE IS LEAVING WITH FEELING OF CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZATION AND THAT IT IS DOING A GOOD JOB. HE RECALLED THAT FROM THE OUTSET HE HAD MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE WOULD ONLY SPEND ONE YEAR IN NAIROBI.

2. IN MUTUAL MUSINGS OVER QUALIFICATIONS AND QUALITIES HIS SUCCESSOR SHOULD POSSESS, MUNRO STATED HE THOUGHT THAT THREE INDIVIDUALS WITHIN UNEP QUALIFIED TO SUCCEED HIM - PETER THACHER, US NATIONAL, UNEP LIAISON OFFICER, GENEVA; SVENELD EVTEEV, SOVIET DIRECTOR OF UNEP'S POLICY PLANNING OFFICE; AND PHILIP NDEGWA, KENYAN, DIRECTOR OF DIVISION III.

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